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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated May 15, 2008, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1 and 5-31.

The items checked below are appropriate:

XX A petition for an extension of time to respond to the P:\11-08\oga-013-pto-noa-cot wpd

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final rejection is being filed on <u>November 13, 2008</u>, for <u>the third</u> month.

- 2. \underline{XX} A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
 - 3. XX Fee \$ 540.00 or __ Small Entity \$270.00
 - XX Enclosed (as part of PTO-2038 for \$1,160.00)
 - __ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)

In the event this paper is not considered to be timely filed, applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 111833, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this paper.

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